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Prefatory Note

The attached checklist containing the names of Soviet officials presently stationed outside the USSR is based on available information received prior to 1 May 1956. Following each name in the second and third columns are (a) the last position reported to have been held by the individual and (b) the date of such information. Although wives and children are listed when known, it does not necessarily indicate that they are present in the country.

Diplomatic couriers, members of ecclesiastic and other temporary missions have not been included.

Any corrections or additions will be of value in the compilation of future checklists.

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